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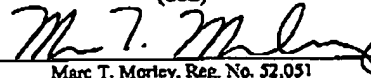
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Marc T. Morley, Reg. No. 52,051AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION

Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action of December 1, 2004, Applicants hereby request entry of
the following amendments and submit the following remarks:

Summary of Interview begins on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 3 of
this paper.

Remarks begin on page 5 of this paper.